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IN VIVO DRUG DELIVERY TO
MAMMALIAN CELLS VIA BACTERIALLY
DERIVED INTACT MINICELLS***

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND REPLY

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Sir:

This communication, responsive to a final Office action dated January 5, 2010, supplements an Amendment and Reply submitted with an RCE on August 18, 2010, in relation to the captioned application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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